

Montgomery County Cemetery Inventory

ID: 71

Name: Clarksburg ~~United~~ Methodist Church Cemetery

Alternate name: Clarksburg Meth Epis. Church Cemetery ~~Randolph Road~~
 Address: Spire ~~Center~~ Street ²³⁴²⁵ ~~Clarksburg~~ Ebenezer Chapel
~~lot 1788~~

Town: Clarksburg

ADC Map Page 9 Grid MAA C-4

Type Religious _____ Association _____
 Family _____ Free black _____
 Private _____ Enslaved _____
 Other _____ Ethnic _____
 _____ Prehistoric _____

Setting Rural Urban Suburban Forested Other _____

Condition Excellent Good Fair Poor

Negative Impacts (vandalism, dumping, neglect, encroachment, etc) high density
suburban development around church + cemetery.

Approximate no. of burials 550 ^{approx} Date range of burials 1800's ^{early} - present

Description (markers, materials, arrangement, landscaping, fence, paths and roads, etc.)
Church established in 1788

a few plants
Paved Road ^{all the} way through with stone pylon at each end
Late 18th - early 19th ^{century} plate markers, recently reset.
Illegible, one re-set upside down. Mowed + well-maintained.
some corner plot markers with initial of family.
 Surveyor(s) J.E. Manuel Survey date 4/17/04
 Photographer Jane B Date 4/17/04 Photo no. _____

Current owner _____
 Address/Phone No. _____

Historic Status Locational Atlas ID _____ National Register _____
 Master Plan ID _____ Other _____

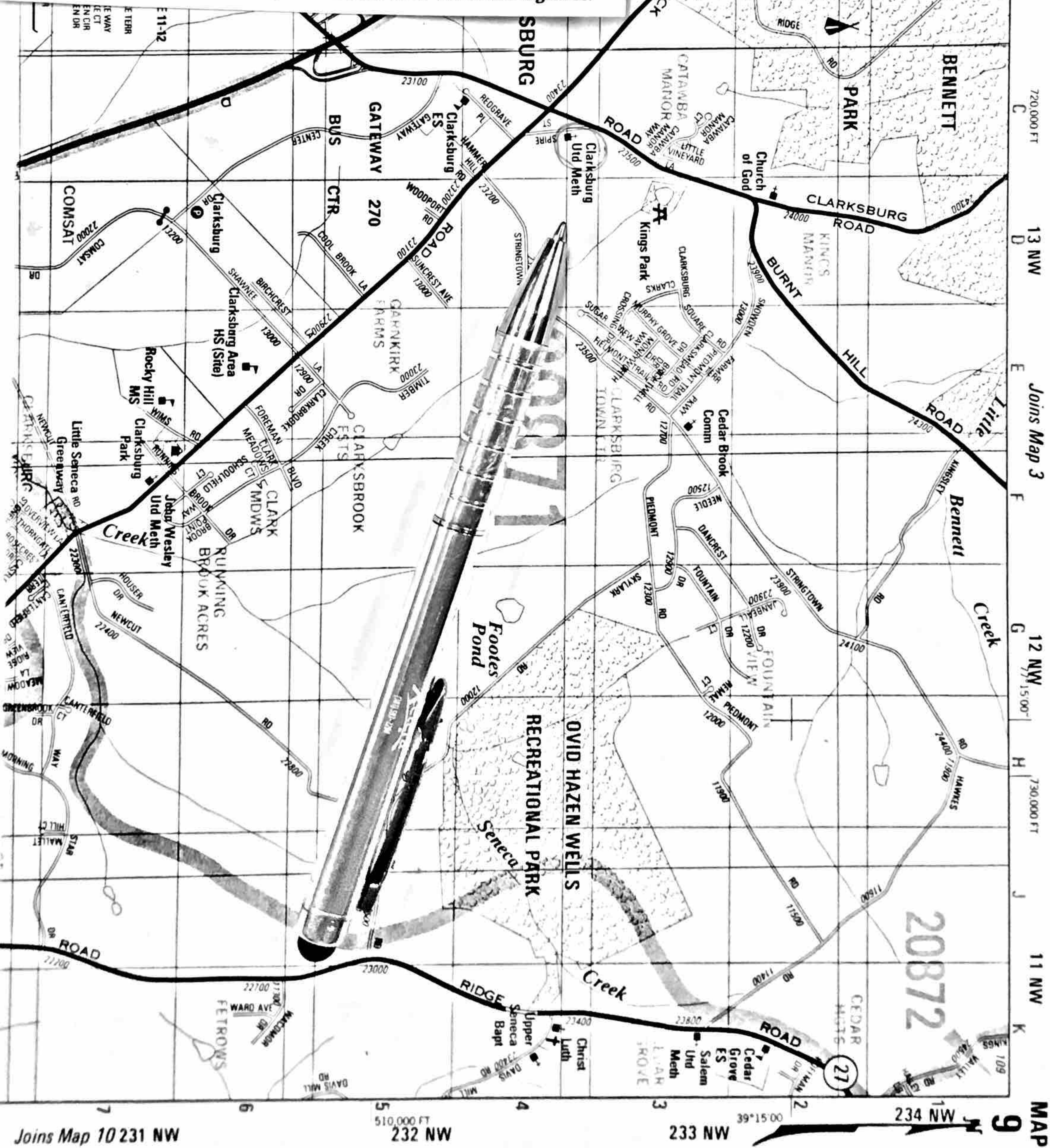
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Additional sources of information:

See Reverse for
pramony dedication plaque for church history →

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 CLARKSBURG METHODIST CHURCH
 23425 SPIRE STREET
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CLARKSBURG UNITED METHODIST CHURCH CEMETERY
 CLARKSBURG METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH CEMETERY
 Directions: Route 355 North to Clarksburg, right on Church Spire Street,
 church and cemetery on right. [A.D.C. Map: Montgomery, page 4, grid
 coordinates K-11.] Condition of cemetery: Well kept. Active cemetery.
 Earliest known death: 1811. Most recent death: Present. Famous person
 interred: Dr. Horace Willson. Veterans interred: WWI and WWII vets. In
 1937, 1 volume of class lists 1857-1937, Rockville Circuit, 6 volumes at
 Clarksburg parsonage. Date transcribed: 1988. Location of transcribed
 records: Montgomery County Historical Society Library, 42 West
 Middle Lane, Rockville, Maryland 20850. Author: J. Thomas Scharf,
 A.M. Title: *History of Western Maryland*, page 720, Vol. I. Publisher:
 Regional Publishing Company [reprinted 1968], Baltimore, MD [original
 printed in Philadelphia, 1882]. Comments: Over 470 marked graves.



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Town: Clarksburg

Plaque on church:

"In commemoration of The Clarksburg Methodist Church Rededicated ~~in~~ Oct 25, 1959

This church formerly called Ebenezer Chapel is the oldest continuous congregation in Montgomery County. First society established June 5, 1788.

First church erected Oct. 24, 1794. This tablet is in memory of Andrew Jackson Waters and his wife Ketura Ann Waters lifetime members and is presented by their grandson J. Forest Walker"

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